ABSTRACT

An ink supply device includes an ink tank for containing ink inside and a tank holder for holding the ink tank in a detachable manner. The tank holder includes a control tank, a circulation needle, and an air supply needle. The control tank allows the ink and air to circulate between the control tank and the ink tank so that the internal pressure of the ink tank attached has a predetermined value.

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